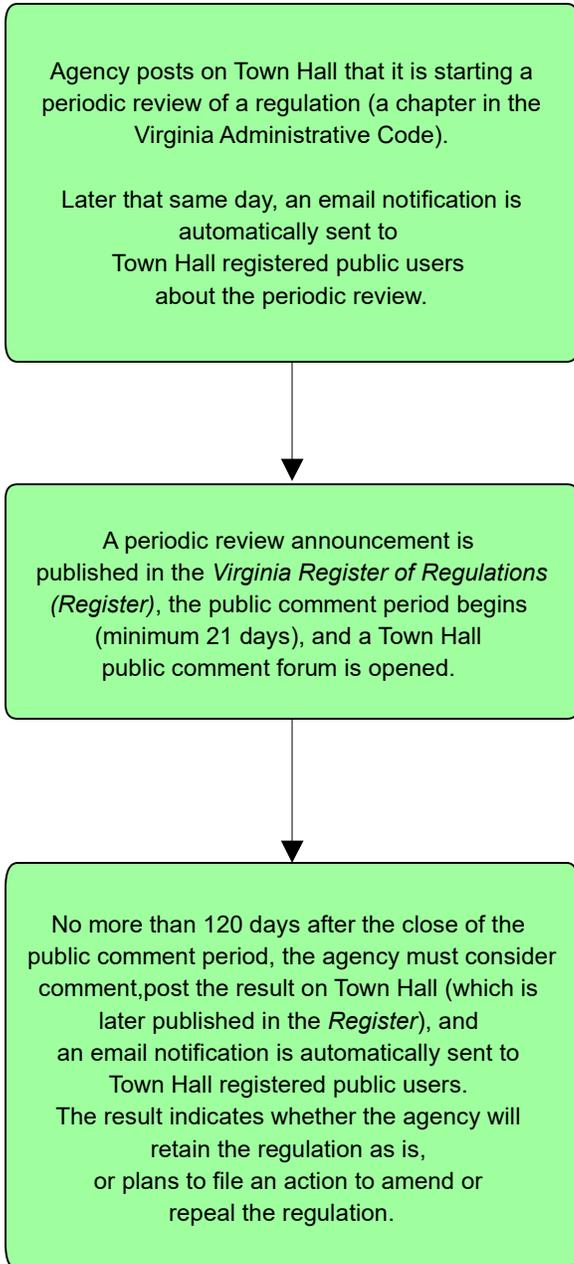


Public Guide: Periodic Review of Regulations Using Stand-alone Process

Periodic review stand-alone process in its basic form:



Every state regulation of executive branch agencies must be reviewed at least once every four years to: ensure it is supported by statutory authority; is necessary for the protection of public health, safety and welfare; is clearly written and easily understandable; and to make sure its economic impact on small businesses is minimized as much as possible.

This process requires review by the promulgating agency, the Office of the Attorney General, the Office of Regulatory Management (ORM), and the Governor's Office.

The stand-alone process is the preferred way for an agency to conduct a periodic review. The other way is to do it during a standard (3-stage) regulatory action.

Authority: Sections 2.2-4017 and 2-2-4007.1 (D-F) of the Code of Virginia and ORM Procedures (2022) to implement Executive Order 19 (2022)

